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Sir:

As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application applied for on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. \$ 1.41(c).

Inventor(s): XIE, Ya-Gang

For: METHOD FOR THE DETECTION OF RISK FACTORS

ASSOCIATED WITH MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION

Enclosed are:

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\boxtimes	A specification consisting of thirty-five (35) pages
\boxtimes	Six (6) sheet(s) of formal drawings
, <u> </u>	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
	Applicant does not claim priority
	Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application $No(s)$. 2,414,301 filed in Canada on December 13, 2002.

Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto. Certified copy(ies) will follow.

- Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow
- Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76
- A paper copy and computer readable form (CRF) of the Sequence Listing for this application in full compliance to 37 C.F.R. §\$1.821-1.825. The disk copy of the Sequence Listing, file "2288-0103P.SEQ.LIST.TXT", is identical to the paper copy except that it lacks formatting. The Sequence Listing in no way introduces new matter into the specification.
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